## COMMUNITY BOARD # 9 890 Nostrand Avenue Brooklyn, New York 11225

# Minutes of the Economic Development Committee November 2, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM at the CB 9 office.

#### **ATTENDENCE**

Warren Berke – Committee Chairman
Pia Raymond – Committee Co Chair
Veta Clark – CB9
Nevon Watson – CB9
Neil Morancie – EDC Resident Member
Micheil Yohannes – Office of ASW Diana Richardson
Shelley Kramer – Parkside Empire Flatbush Avenue Merchants Association
Desmond Romeo – Parkside Empire Flatbush Avenue Merchants Association

#### **ABSENT**

Augustine Blackwell – CB 9

### I. OLD BUSINESS

Planning continued for the EDC Shop Local program for the Holiday season.

Kick off Press Conference, Saturday, November 28th, 11:00 AM, CB 9 Offices. All are welcome.

The committee approved the purchase and installation of flags for the month of December promoting our community merchants to our residents to "Shop Local" for the Holidays. As previously reviewed with the board in September, all cost will be funded by the sale of sponsorships for the program and funding by our elected officials.

#### II. New Business:

#### III. Monthly meeting:

The committee will meet on the first Monday of the month, 7 PM, at the CB 9 office. The next EDC meeting will be held on December 7, 2015. All are welcome to attend and contribute.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren Berke, Committee Chairperson

**November 22, 2015**